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FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 1901.

ABOUT TOWN.

A very light rain fell at Santa Maria today.

There will be a baile Sunday night at Santa Cruz park.

Eleven cars of lumber from the schooner Caroline came up from the Point this morning.

The new rector for the Episcopal church is expected to arrive early in October, having deferred coming until cooler weather. He will be accompanied by his wife and two sons.

The rain that fell here this morning was a very good one, though not much water fell. A light rain lasting several hours, as it did, is beneficial, because every drop of it soaks into the ground and does not run off or collect in puddles where it does no good.

DIED, in this city, yesterday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock, Sra. Marcelina Saucedo de Garza, a Mexican woman aged 33 years. She leaves a husband, and two children, a son and a young daughter. The funeral takes place this evening from the family residence on 12th. street.

The case of Hilario Chasarreta, charged with smuggling corn, was taken up on preliminary examination today in U. S. Commissioner B. Kowalski's court. There are about fifteen witnesses in the case, and the taking of testimony will not be completed until late, or perhaps until tomorrow. E. C. Porto is handling the defendant's case.

Double Wedding.

A double wedding occurred last night at the Field ranch, a mile from town, the brides being sisters. The couples were Regino Herrera and Maria Cantu, and Florencio Cruz and Luisa Cantu. The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Gavito. A number of guests were present. A dance and supper followed the ceremony.

Carnegie to an Envious Friend.

One of Carnegie's friends says: "I remember as we drove down to the station on his four-in-hand coach, I was saying how I envied him his wealth, and he said: 'I am not really to be envied. How can my wealth help me? I am 60 years old and I cannot digest. I would give you all my millions if you could give me your youth and health'. And then I shall never forget his next remark. We had driven on some yards in silence when he suddenly turned, and, in a hushed voice, speaking with a bitterness and depth of feeling quite indescribable, he said: 'If I could make Faust's bargain, I would; I'd gladly sell anything to have half my life over again.' And I saw his hands clench as he spoke."

Called Communication.

There will be a called communication of Rio Grande Lodge, No. 81, A. F. & A. M., tomorrow (Saturday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Work in the Master's degree. Sojourning brethren are cordially invited.

By order of B. Kowalski, W. M. J. F. CUMMINGS, secretary.

Pretty Royal Wedding Custom.

A pretty custom dating from the wedding of the late Queen Victoria has ever since pertained in the royal family. A sprig of the myrtle which formed part of the bride's wreath was carefully cut, and in due time planted out. When the princess royal was married sprigs were cut for her bridal wreath from this myrtle tree. The princess following, her mother's example, had one of the sprigs carried for her. It became a full-sized tree, which served for her daughter-in-law's wreath at the wedding of the present Emperor of Germany. The custom was observed in the marriage of the Prince of Wales and all other of Queen Victoria's children and grandchildren. There is already as the result of this charming custom, the making of a grove of myrtle trees.—Ex.

Stuffed Egg Plant.

Wipe a good sized egg plant, put in a kettle of boiling salted water and boil for fifteen minutes. Cut a slice from the top and with a spoon remove the pulp, leaving walls nearly an inch thick. Chop the pulp, add one teaspoonful of onion juice, three tablespoonfuls of melted butter, one cupful of soft bread crumbs, salt and pepper to taste. Turn into a frying pan, add two tablespoonfuls of stock or water and stir over the fire for five minutes, take off, add one well-beaten egg and refill the egg plant. Bake for half an hour in a hot oven.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Miss L. Mielke returned to the Point last evening.

Four Sisters of the convent came up from the Point today.

Mrs. H. Grunewald returned from the Point this morning.

Mrs. R. M. Miller of Matamoras returned from the Point today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Porto have returned from a visit to their ranch in Hidalgo county.

Edwin Woodhouse is in the city from Las Tresquillas ranch, where he has been spending some time.

German Aramburu returned to Matamoras by yesterday's train from a business trip to Monterey.

L. Kowalski, F. Champion, N. E. Rendall and J. O. Wheeler went down yesterday for an outing of a few days on Padre island.

Mrs. K. Leahy, Miss M. Egly and Miss M. Schreiber went to the Point last evening to visit relatives. Mrs. Leahy returned this morning.

L. H. Bates, E. Crockett, the captain of the schooner Caroline, Master F. Rivadulla and brother were arrivals from the coast this morning.

Lon Hill, Esq., of Beeville arrived by last night's stage, to see about his rice interests near Brownsville. He visited the rice plantation today.

E. R. Jeffers and two sons from Toluen, Hidalgo county, after spending a day or two in town, transacting business, left today on their return home.

W. H. Hearndon of Houston arrived by the Alice stage last evening, and is stopping at the Miller.

Sheriff John Clossner left today, on his return to Hidalgo.

Mrs. C. B. San Roman, with her niece, Miss Maria Browne, and the children of A. A. Browne, Esq., returned last evening from a visit of several weeks at her ranch.

Prof. Barbour, J. I. Kleiber, L. H. Bates, E. Crockett, R. Crenger, F. Garriga, Master F. Rivadulla and brother and Master Lee Campbell were passengers to the Point last evening.

GRULLA WHIM-WHAMS

El Soltero Threatens Something Sensational If the Hot Weather Keeps Up.

Editor HERALD.

Grulla, Texas, Aug. 18.—This writing letters in hot weather, at least such hot weather as we've been having the last few days, is not a thing of joy. It comes of being too conscientious, my writing you a weekly letter (do I write you a weekly letter?) as per my promise.

We had a little shower on the 14th., but not of much consequence. On the 15th. there was a norther, and the weather became most disagreeably hot. The thermometer at 2:30 p. m. that day went to 103°, and we suffered. The wind was dry and hot like that of a furnace. Only at 12 or 1 at night did it become cool.

We are needing a heavy rain to make a crop of corn. It is now, especially the smallest, looking twisted. Cotton is doing better. A good deal has opened and some picking is going on. One *tiendero* has bought about nine hundred pounds, which he got at odd intervals.

Mr. H. F. Hord has been sick with muscular rheumatism—quite sick, indeed. He was in bed for two weeks, but now he is all right—a little stiff, but able to get around.

Mrs. Nix has moved into her house, and Mr. Seabury is having the old homestead fixed up for his housekeeping.

Mr. Calixto Valle is building himself a brick house as a permanent home. He was one of our best county clerks. I hope he'll return to the true (red) fold.

Public schools open next month, and our long holiday is over. There are some changes to be made, I hear, in the teachers, but I think it is only a rumor. We don't get many months, owing to the number of communities.

That is about all the news—as news—that I can report. If things keep on as dull as now, I must take to inventing news. Therefore don't be surprised, if some fine day you receive a budget of astounding reports. Hot weather sometimes makes one light-headed, and if this confounded heat keeps up, I renounce all responsibility for what I may hereafter write.

I have two good things inenabating, with a dim, far-off idea of a third.

Some day, not in the distant future I shall spring them on an astounded editor and public. One which is full-orbed, glorious, and ready to burst on an astonished world, is about a certain lawyer not many miles from the Grulla. T'other touches my friend the Englishman, only I haven't worked up the final catastrophe, and am puzzling how to bring it to a fit conclusion.

I hope you may be grateful to me, Sir, for this mild hint as to the future, and not hereafter accuse me of springing things on you unawares.

By the way, didn't you, in an editorial, promise your contributors a box of grapes—or their juice? Let mine be a basket—Clignot for preference. Or was it a dream—a gorgeous dream? EL SOLTERO.

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Late Items.

Several steel mills are being started with laborers from the South, but the strikers deny that any real progress has been made.

While at target practice at Fort Riley, Kan., one soldier was killed and two fatally wounded, by the bursting of a shell.

The British surprised a strong Boer laager near Middleburg, Cape Colony, and killed twenty-three, but were obliged to retire. Fourteen British are missing.

Sixteen lives were lost on a river steamer near Paducah, Ky., which was wrecked by a squall.

A dynamite explosion at Herkimer, N. Y. killed five persons, the explosion occurring in a burning building while they were fighting the fire.

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A Sustaining Diet.

There are the enervating days, when, as somebody has said, men drop by the sunstroke as if the Day of Fire had dawned. They are fraught with danger to people whose systems are poorly sustained; and this leads us to say, in the interest of the less robust of our readers, that the full effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla in such as to suggest the propriety of calling this medicine something besides a blood purifier and tonic,—say, a sustaining diet. It makes it much easier to bear the heat, assures refreshing sleep, and will without any doubt avert much sickness at this time of year.

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The State of Texas County of Cameron.

To Frederick J. Combe, and to all persons owing or having or claiming any interest in the following described land, delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Cameron, for taxes, to-wit: An undivided one half of Lot 7, in Block "T", in the City of Brownsville, Cameron County, Texas; 4637 acres of land in Cameron county, Texas, being a portion of a grant originally made to E. and B. Fernandez, said grant being known as "Concepcion de Carri-citos," which said land and lot are delinquent for taxes for the years 1896 and 1898 for the following amounts: \$18.38 for State taxes and \$59.86 for county taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, interest and costs and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Cameron County, and State of Texas, being the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court House hereof at Brownsville, on the second day of September, A. D. 1901, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and lot and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and cost of suit.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Louis Kowalski, Clerk of District Court of Cameron County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Brownsville, this 10 day of August, A. D. 1901.

LOUIS KOWALSKI,
Clerk, District Court, Cameron Co. Tex.
A true copy I certify
CELEDONIO GARZA,
Sheriff, Cameron County, Texas.